Dear Parent/Carer,

Ashmore School needs people from all walks of life and with a range of talents who are committed to delivering great outcomes for their children and school. Each year one or two parents from every year level are nominated to be Parent Representatives. The purpose of Parent Representatives at Ashmore is to enhance communication between parents, School Admin and the P&C of the school, however they are not an avenue for dealing with confidential matters, complaints or sensitive issues involving staff or students. Such matters are addressed through the relevant teacher or administrator.

The emphasis is on a pro-active, meaningful and constructive partnership. Often our Parent Reps can follow on each year as their children progress through the school, providing a constant point of contact for families and a valuable ongoing relationship for the community. This is the avenue you have as parents to allow your concerns, ideas and suggestions for the school to be heard. It provides more ‘ears to the ground’ so the P&C and the school Admin can hear the feedback and suggestions from the school community.

All Parent Reps meet with the Principal and the P&C President once a month for a one hour meeting and the summary of this meeting is then forwarded onto the P&C for action or further feedback. Our first meeting for 2013 will be held at 9.00am on Tuesday 12th Feb.

Also, Parent Reps contribute to the once-a-term ‘Ashmore Matters’ newsletter with a summary of what your year level is achieving in the term, or any other interesting school community news parents would like to hear (one paragraph). If you would like to participate as a Parent Rep, please fill out below and return to the tuckshop before 11th Feb.

With thanks,
Ashmore State School P&C Association

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Yes, I would like to be nominated as a Parent Representative:

Parent/Carer Name: .................................................................

Contact Details - Phone: ........................................Email:......................................................

Student Name/s: .................................................................Class: ..............